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Appln. No.)	09/527,410
Applicant)	BING LIN YANG
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Title)	SURGE ABSORBER WITHOUT CHIPS
Grp. Art Unit)	2832
Examiner)	Karl Easthom
Confm. No.)	1559

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.133

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Dear Sir:

This Statement of Substance of Interview is submitted under 37 C.F.R. §1.133 in accordance with MPEP §713.04 in order to provide written documentation in the present application file concerning a series telephone interviews conducted May 26-31, 2005 between the Examiner and Applicant's undersigned attorney.

In an interview conducted 26 May 2005, the Examiner informed Applicant's attorney of the Office's non-receipt of Applicant's reply to the Office Action dated 14 October 2005. Applicant then immediately informed the Examiner that a proper and timely reply was indeed filed on 14 April 2005 along with a petition for extension of time, an itemized stamped return postcard, and the required certificates of mailing pursuant to 37

C.F.R. §1.8. The Examiner stated that Applicant's attorney could resolve the matter by transmitting to the Examiner the contents of the April 14th submission via facsimile.

In a subsequent telephone conversation conducted on or about 28 May 2005, the Examiner advised Applicant's attorney that a Notice of Abandonment was inadvertently issued by the Office and that the Examiner would revoke the Notice.

In a further subsequent telephone conversation conducted on or about 31 May 2005, the Examiner advised Applicant's attorney that since the Notice was issued (although inadvertently), a Petition to Withdrawal Holding of Abandonment would be required in order to remove the status of abandonment.

Applicant respectfully submits that this Statement satisfies the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.133 and MPEP §713.04.

The Office is invited to contact Applicant's attorney at the below-listed phone number regarding the present Statement or otherwise concerning the instant application.

If there are any charges due with respect to this Amendment or otherwise, please charge them to Deposit Account No. 06-1130 maintained by Applicant's attorneys.

Respectfully submitted,

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